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In re application of: Cheng

Serial No.: 10/500,569

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Examiner: Brinson, Patrick F.

For: A PIPE FOR TRANSPORTING AUTOMOBILE FLUIDS, THE  
PIPE COMPRISING A SMOOTH INNER TUBE AND A  
CORRUGATED OUTER TUBE

Docket No.: 60,680-887

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Dear Commissioner:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 25, 2005.

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS****I. INTRODUCTION**

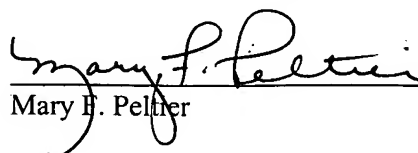
Claims 1-8 are presently pending in this application. Applicants respectfully submit that the rejection of claims 1-8 is improper and respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following arguments.

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